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IN FEBRUARY 1973 IRANIAN POLICE SEIZED ONE TON OF HASHISH. THE POLICE MAJOR WHO HEADED THIS INVESTIGATION, A GRADUATE OF THE BNDD NATIONAL TRAINING INSTITUTE, ADVISED "THE ONLY REASONE THE SEIZURE WAS MADE WAS BECAUSE WE USED THE TECHNIQUES THAT I LEARNED IN YOUR SCHOOL".

IN APRIL OF 1973 CAPT PEZHMAN OF THE GENDARME, A GRADUATE OF NTI, RECEIVED INFORMATION ON A SUSPECTED HEROIN LAB LOCATED IN AFGHANISTAN. THROUGH AN INFORMANT DEVELOPED AT MESHED, IRAN, THE CAPTAIN IN AN UNDERCOVER CAPACITY NEGOTIATED FOR AND SUBSEQUENTLY RECEIVED ONE-HALF KILO OF MORPHINE.

ALTHOUGH I AM UNAWARE OF ANY OTHER SPECIFIC INCIDENCE RESULTING IN NARCOTIC SEIZURES, I STRONGLY BELIEVE THAT THE KNOWLEDGE GAINED AND RAPPORT DEVELOPED BY NTI IS INVALUABLE IN DEVELOPING THE NECESSARY CLOSE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN DEA AND HOST COUNTRY POLICE OFFICIALS IN CARRYING OUT OUR MISSION. IN MY SEVEN YEARS OVERSEAS I HAVE MET DOZENS OF POLICE OFFICIALS TRAINED BY NTI BOTH IN THE US AND IN COUNTRY. THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN MORE RESPON-
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SIVE TO DEA REQUESTS AFOR INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND ARE

KEENLY AWARE OF THE NEED FOR CLOSE COOPERATION IN EFFORTS TO
ELIMINATE INTERNATIONAL NARCOTIC TRAFFIC. DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR I
BELIEVE NTI IS THE CHEAPEST AND BEST TOOL IN OUR NEVER-ENDING
FIGHT IN NARCOTIC ENFORCEMENT.
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